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SUBJ: AVAILABILITY OF LEGALLY CONTROLLED MEDICATIONS IN SWEDEN

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1. A SWEDISH GOVERNMENT DIRECTIVE PUBLISHED ON 12 NOVEMBER 1974 CLASSIFIES METHADONE AS BEING A NARCOTIC. AS A RESULT, METHADONE MAY NOT BE IMPORTED INTO SWEDEN EVEN THOUGH IT MAY HAVE BEEN PRESCRIBED BY AN AMERICAN PHYSICIAN.

2. TRAVELLERS MAY BRING A SEVEN DAY SUPPLY OF MOST OTHER CONTROLLED MEDICATIONS INTO SWEDEN. ALL MEDICATIONS MUST BEAR THE PATIENT'S NAME AND MUST BE IN THEIR ORIGINAL CONTAINERS. PRESCRIPTIONS WRITTEN BY OUT-OF-COUNTRY DOCTORS ARE NOT HONORED IN SWEDEN. A VISITOR REQUIRING A REFILL OF A CONTROLLED MEDICATION MUST FIRST CONSULT A SWEDISH PHYSICIAN.

3. TRAVELLERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT THE SWEDISH COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL HEALTH RELATIONS, 10630 STOCKHOLM, TELEPHONE 140600, FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON INQUIRIES CONCERNING SPECIFIC MEDICATIONS.

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4. FOREIGN NATIONAL DRUG ADDICTS MAY OBTAIN MEDICAL TREATMENT IN STOCKHOLM AT THE RADGIVNINGSBYRAN FOR NARKOTIKA PROBLEM (ADVICE BUREAU FOR NARCOTIC PROBLEMS), BRAKEGATAN 20, STOCKHOLM, TELEPHONE 630165. SIMILAR CENTERS EXIST IN OTHER MAJOR SWEDISH CITIES. TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR THESE CENTERS ARE PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED IN LOCAL TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES.

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